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BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 96-343-C - ORDER NO. 96-884

DECEMBER 31, 1996

IN RE: Application of Milliwave Limited) ORDER
Partnership For a Certificate of Public) APPROVING
Convenience and Necessity to Provide) INTERVENTION
InterLATA and IntraLATA Non-switched) OUT-OF-TIME
Services throughout the State of)
South Carolina.)

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the "Commission") on the Petition to Intervene Out-of-Time filed by the South Carolina Telephone Coalition ("SCTC"). SCTC states that it did not learn of this proceeding involving Milliwave Limited Partnership until December 18, 1996, and that the deadline for intervention was December 17, 1996.

The Commission has examined this matter and believes that the Petition to Intervene Out-of-Time should be granted. The Commission finds that just cause has been shown to allow the Intervention Out-of-Time and further that no prejudice will result to any other party by granting the late intervention.

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This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director

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